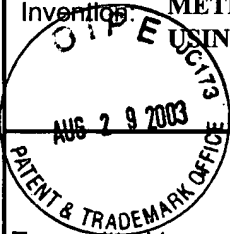

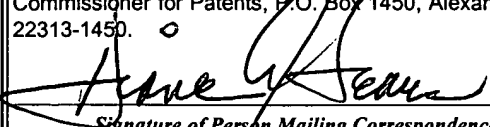


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Applicant submits this response in reply to the Office Action of July 30, 2003.

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